## The Pacahanias Times.

ere's a hole in a' your coats.

I rede ye tent it; hiel's amang you takin' notes, An' faith he il prent it. – Bugn

#### Local Events.

Depositions are being taken in the case of Preston Harper vs Frank Harper.

John Lange, who had been con-

The great war of commerce as refers to wool gathering, is in full movement in Pocahontas County. We hear of one merchant engage ing the clip of several big Elk growers, and the local dealer buying the same wool for cash. Prices the hase one too an sherife Hill, it range from 17 cents cash to 19cts ize fur the benfite ove mr John

A hen belonging to James Hultz GORGE WINFREY ise mi name. of Academy, made a good fight against a hawk the other day. The hawk swooped down and captured one of her chickens and sailed Knapp's Creek are unusually low away. The hen took to her wings for June and the light of the and flew right under the bawk. A torches of gigging or spearing parhundred yards distant the hawk dropped the chicken, and the hen method is to cause the fish to be

E. Moore is there this week giving instruction in penmanship, and a better course has never been in our county. The writer believes that this training school might bethat this training school might beproperly kuown.

rieties of improved wheat, and is trying to introduce it among the farmers of this county. We believe the bettering of wheat stock is a matter that should receive the attention of farmers. About a year ago Mr Dean's new house and all its contents, representing the savings of himself and wife for thirty years, ever since he came out of the Confederate army, burned up. He desires to return thanks for the many kindnesses shown him since that time by friends who have contributed to his great necessity.

Peter C. Hill of Jacov was in

than one hundred years ago; the hand made hunting knife used by Richard Hill, (his grandfather), a silver coin of 1777, and other relics of Richard Hill, the famous hunter and scort nunter and scout.

invitation to visit their encamps ment. He was more than pleased to do so, and arrangements were made accordingly as to time and place. Upon repairing to the camp he was mot by the committee of reception, headed by the interesting volunteer aforesaid, who, with the three others, had been falling up. They seemed extremely gratified that the visiting chaplain was riding such a nice horse and all four got up behind, him and requested him to stick in the spurs, for the crowd was waiting and it would soon be 'drill time.' Thore was a scuffle to get them off and before it was over, the dreamer was awake and streaming with perspiration, with a feeling that he had been very neatly sold.

and 18th, 1898. A leader and all por gramme has been arranged for the discussion of a number of subjects by representative farmers of Pocadonats County. All are invited and urged to attend and meet the institute directors. It will be time trofitably spent for the farmer.

Fusical Association.

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Work commenced Monday.

A few nights ago in Upshur Co., ment was taken from a Gold Bug Republican's smoke house, and the following note left: "You man can live on Prosperity but it takes bacon at our house."

Our merchants are getting on a block of the county are required to the reliance of the county are r A few nights since a Cuban insurgent waited on the writer in his dreams and gave him a pressing invitation to visit their encampment. He was more than pleased to do so, and arrangements were made accordingly as to time and

#### The Horse Stealing Case.

It will be remembered that at the April Court John Wilfong was sent from this county to the penitentiary for stealing John R. Warwick's horse. The evidence was very conclusive. Wilfong was seen in the neighborhood the night before the theft, and the horse was sold by him to Isaac Hoover in Rockingham County two days after. He was traced over the course and the horse recovered. His defence was that he had bought the fence was that he had bought th

John Lange, who had been confined in the asylum and dismissed as cured, was again committed to jail as a lunatic.

J. H. Buzzard finished assessing this week. He has recently moved to Driscol, having rented his farm. He is now nine miles nearef civilization.

A young man named Riley, of Green Bank, was arrested last week and while waiting to be examined by the justice he made his escape and has not been retaken.

A. W. Bester, of Baltimore, will spend the summer with relatives A. W. Bester, of Baltimore, will spend the summer with relatives in Pocahontas. His brother Lewis a volonteer in the 5th Maryland Regiment, stationed at Jackson-ville.

J. H Landes will have on exhibition and for sale a number of District Nominees, way to declare the innocence of a convicted prisoner. It is evident that Wilfong has a friend who is working for a pardon, and no man in his senses would imagine that such letters have any weight when the legal aspect of the case is considered. The letters were similar.

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#### Union monroe ma 30 1898.

M. W. Gordon, of Beaver Dam. Wilfong fur i am thee gilty one an Horton.

Horton. a Confederate Veteran who saw two brothers die in the war, was a welcome visitor to The Times office last Friday. He was accompanied to Marlinton by Mrs Gordon who was taken suddenly ill and had to was taken suddenly ill and had to wait some hours before she could return home.

The did not stele that hose, an thee one that swore he did swore a black lie or sase so either fur i am the one that done the crime and I know there iz one inosente man at mondsvile penitary if no more he is not guillty but i am. keepe thise return home.

#### Gigging in The Greenbrier.

and flew right under the bawk. A hundred yards distant the hawk dropped the chicken, and the hen brought it back unharmed.

Jim Sizemore, who was indicted some time ago, charged with steating a polecat skin, was arrested last week on a capias and lodged in jail. The evidence against him is supposed to show that he took the pelt from Pullin & Co.'s wareroom and sold it to Golden. He had absented himself from the county, but returned to visit his parents.

I torches of gigging or spearing parties are to be seen at night. The method is to cause the fish to be blinded by a bright light, when they lie still and the man with the gig or spear walks up and kills it with a quick unerring blow. It is sport in the highest degree, for it requires a noiseless approach, a trained eye to distinguish a fish from the rocks in the bed of the stream, and a steady hand. The light flashing on the clear water has a wierd effect. Outside the little circle of light the darkness is but returned to visit his parents the circle of light the darkness is intense, but near the torch every pebble in the bed of the stream week.

Some of the boys went fishing

that this training school might become a permanent institution and secure patronage from a wide territory were its merits become properly known W. M. Dean, of Lobelia, is agent for a firm dealing in the best varieties of improved wheat, and is

that time by friends who have contributed to his great necessity.

Peter C. Hill, of Jacox, was in town Monday, and called at The Times office. He informs us that his neighbor, L. P. Curry, found a fine gold-plated watch in a piece of new ground, which was not damaged in the slightest and runs well. It was probably lost by a hunter or sang digger. Mr Hill has in his possession a book which was presented to his grandmother more than one hundred years ago; the

The second annual meeting of the Pocahontas County Farmer's Institute will be held at Academy, Friday and Saturday, June 17th and 18th, 1898. An elaborate pro-

#### OFFICIAL RETURNS

From the Pocahontas County emocratic Primary. 628 Votes

e s t s n - e -	PRECINCTS AND CANDIDATES	Moore, H. of D.	arlow, Co Court.	ice, Co. Court	Laughlin, Supt.	Warwick, Supt.	Grimes, Supt.
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7	Total .	592	444	183	465	235	191

### District Nominees,

Finest growing weather in the county.

Mr and Mrs Craigan Grimes spent last week with relatives here. Stonewall has returned from

Hon H. A. Yeager was in town last week. Will Jackson is off to Mill Point

Swecker and McElwee are painting the Baxter Church. Mrs William Siple and children

are up on a visit.

Mrs Gus Eskridge is visiting ier people.

R. L. Nottingham and Jacob Jr. The waters of the Greenbrier and are off on a business trip. Benjamin Taylor was at Edray

Mrs Julia Lockridge was visit-

When Asa Barlow's dog was last seen he was following the last man who was seen in Green Bank dis-trict, with a rail on his shoulder.

Renick Kerr started to Staunton one day last week and got to Green Hill and one of his horses dropped dead in the wagon. This is a great loss to Mr Kerr.

Some of our Republican friends are getting all the high tariff they want. PAT MALEY.

A little dry at this time. John West Carpenter lost a fine cow. She died for want of breath. Big Dick returned from Horton and brought the mumps with him.

Some excitement has started up over the foot base at Dunmore. Gov Hughes has returned to

Price Moore and his betsy were in town Sunday. Brown Moore says it is no trou-ble to be elected if you get a ma-

Miss Alice McLaughlin has closed her school at the Sinks and returned home.

Our railroad, Klondike, Whiting Sharp and Billy Buzard have gone

to the war or somewhere else.
Edward Mullenax, the mill wright, is here and will repair Col.
Pritchard's mill this summer.

The Lewisburg Female Institute the most important female educa-tional institute in the State, closed

Friday evening the alumuse formed an association. Miss Susie Price is vice-president for this county. An organization is expected to be formed in each county. An elaborate banquet followed, of seven courses but no wine. The girls drew the line where we would have drawn the cost. would have drawn the cork. Miss Susie Price, of this county, responded to the second toast, "Our Girls of the Past."

GALVANIZED FLUES,
Saturday night Waiteman Barbe
read a lecture to the literary society
Sunday Dr Quarles, of the W.
& L. University preached the baccalaureate sermon from the text:
"I pray that our daughters may be as corner stones polished after the similitude of a palace."

Monday evening the art exhibit brought several hundreds of invited guests together for a social time in the beautifully decorated rooms of the Institute. Several hundred beautifully executed and nicely framed drawings occupied the walls of the room, representing

Work Done on Short Notice. the work of the supils during the

past school year.

Tuesday night the regular commencement exercises were held at the town half. Miss Moomau, of Green Bank, received one of the SILLING & SLAVEN,

This school should be patronized by Pocahoutas people. It is situated in the most respectable town of Lewisburg, noted for its refinement and culture. The school is in care of those who care as much for the comfort and moral training of young cirls as they do training of young girls as they do for the mental qualifications.

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## Commissioner's Sale School Lands.

Pursuant to two decrees of the Circuit court of Pocabontas county, West Virginia, made on the 18th day of June, 1897, and the 9th day of October, 1897, respectively, in the chancery cause of

State of West Virginia

George L. Clark and others, the undersigned Commissioner of School Lands for Pocahoutas coun ty, West Virginia, will proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the courtuhouse of the said coun

### 21st DAY OF JUNE, 1898,

C. E. and Reece Pritchard took load of wool to Monterey last First: A tract of 219 acres of land, situated on Michaels Moun-Levels. There he was nabbed by a deputy sheriff.

Professor D L. Barlow's training school will close about the 17 desirable light, but those who do not wish to take the trouble to range the woods hunting for pine the woods hunting for pi

Knapps creek in the said county, adjoining the lands of I, B Moore and others, and forieited for the nonpayment of taxes due thereon in the names of Lanty Lockridge and William Cleek.

A man going through the country a few days ago says that the Pocshontas roads begin to look Third: A tract containing 64 acres of land, situated on Elk Mountry a few days ago says that the Pocshontas roads begin to look

Fourth: A tract containing 74 acres of land, situated on Elk Mt. in the said county, being waste and unappropriated land.

B. M. YEAGER, Commissioner of School Lands.

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Work Done on Short Notice.

ACADEMY, W. VA.

#### Reward!

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June 6, 1898.

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Thanking you for your past pa-tronage, we remain Yours respectfully,

L D Sharp. Linwood W Ya

## The Levels Mews.

Edited by Payne Bros.

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Market, May 31, 1898.

-Eggs 84c per dozen. -Batter 10 to124 per pound.

-Lard 8c per lb. -Corn 750 per bushel. -Wheat 90 to \$1 per bushel.

-Oats 40c per bushel.
-Beeswar 25c per lb.
-Hams 125c per lb.
-Side Bacon 10c.
-Shoulder 10c.

-Potatoes 75c a bushel. -Flour \$5 to \$6 bl.

-At PAYNE BROS. -Pure Sugar Syrup only 40c per gallon at Payne Bros.

-Pure Mixed Paints at Payne -Lime, calsomine and white wash brushes at Paynes.

\_30 bushels of nice potatoes for Cradles, sythes, and snaths, just received at Payne Bros.

A. Oliver and wife are visiting Dr C. W. Eskridge. -C. L. Bruting and family, of angusta County, will spend the number here with friends and rela-

-Children's Day services were the at the Methodist Church Sun-ay morning and at Marvin Chapel

-Born, June 1st, a boy to Di and Mrs Larue.

—Wm. Wylie and bride returned to their home at Falling Springs after a few day's visit in our town.

—Miss Emma McClintic and brother Charles of Highland are visiting the Misses Renick. -Mr Washington Moore and daughter Miss Anna, of Knapp's Greek, have been visiting relatives in this vicinity.

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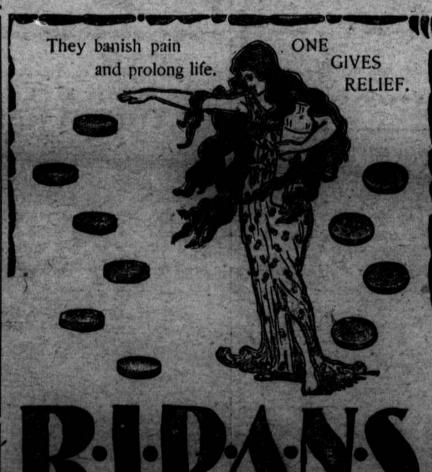
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